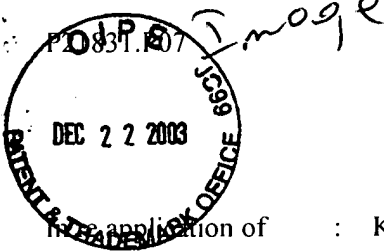


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In application of : Katsuji SHIBATA et al.

Serial No. : 10/022,342

Group Art Unit: 1753

Filed : December 20, 2001

Examiner: Wyrozebski Lee

For : DECOMPOSITION TREATMENT LIQUID FOR CURED UNSATURATED POLYESTER RESIN, METHOD FOR TREATING CURED UNSATURATED POLYESTER RESIN BY USE OF THE TREATING LIQUID, AND METHOD FOR SEPARATING COMPOSITE MATERIAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Extension of Time.

☒ No Additional Fee.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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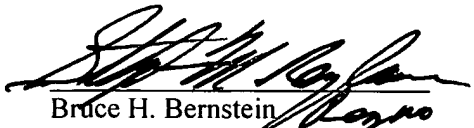
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For : Decomposition Treatment Liquid for Cured Unsaturated Polyester Resin,
Method for Treating Cured Unsaturated Polyester Resin by Use of the
Treating Liquid, and Method for Separating Composite Material

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of September 25, 2003, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections made therein are respectfully requested, in view of the following amendments and remarks. Inasmuch as the Official Action sets a three-month shortened statutory period which expires December 29, 2003 (December 25 and 26, 2003 falling on a holiday), this Response is being timely filed and no extension of time is believed necessary. However, if an extension is deemed by the Patent and Trademark Office to be necessary, the same is hereby requested and the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fees in connection therewith or any fees necessary to preserve the pendency of this application to deposit account No. 19-0089.

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In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.